

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Katsuhiro Wada  
Serial No. : 10/771,794  
For : RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS  
Filed : February 4, 2004  
Examiner : Heather Rae Jones  
Art Unit : 2621

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Commissioner of Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.121(a)**

In response to the Office Action mailed July 9, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 4 of this Amendment and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this Amendment.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 4 of this Amendment.

October 8, 2007

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Date of Signature

John J. Torrente

Signature